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Application No. :	10/561596 Confirmation No.: 9799
Filed:	18-JUN-2004
Title:	Two Component Molded Valve Stems
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This is a Request for Continued	Examination (RCE) under 37 CFR § 1.114 of the above-identified application.
amendments enclosed with the	7 CFR § 1.114 Note: If the RCE is proper, any previously filed unentered amendments and RCE will be entered in the order in which they were filed unless Applicant instructs otherwise. If e any previously filed unentered amendment(s) entered, Applicant must request non-entry of such
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	of Time is being filed concurrently.
	Respectfully submitted,
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